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The Morning Star.

## OUTLINES.

The Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association is in session at Atlanta. —— Journeymen plumbers of Atlanta are on a strike. —— Cotton mill at Barnesville, Ga., sold by auction. —— The Weather Bureau reports a decided improvement in cotton the past week. —— Reported that Japanese made a determined effort for a land attack on Port Arthur; a naval battle is said to have occurred in the gulf of Pechili. —— Admiral Togo is clearing mines from the channel leading into Talienwan. —— Four submarine boats for the Japanese are said to be under construction at works in Newport News. —— A compromise has been made by heirs of the H. B. Plant estate. —— The flood in the Arkansas river is at a standstill; irreparable damage has been done to cotton and other crops. —— New York markets: Money on call was quoted easy at 1½ per cent; cotton was quoted quiet at 11.80c; flour was in active demand; corn—spot barely steady, No. 2 57½c; oats—spot steady, mixed, 26 and 32 pounds, 45¾@46c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine 56@56½.

## WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., June 7.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 77 degrees; 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum, 85 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, .40 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 2.7 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Temperatures have continued nearly stationary throughout the belt. Local rains have fallen in all districts except the Charleston and Savannah.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Wednesday; showers in the east; warmer in west portion; Thursday fair; warmer in east portion; variable winds.

**Port Almanac—June 8.**

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| Sun Rises | 4.41 A. M. |
| Sun Sets | 7.15 P. M. |
| Day's Length | 14 H. 32 M. |
| High Water at Southport | 3.46 P. M. |
| High Water Wilmington | 6.16 P. M. |

A Chicago prophet predicts the end of the world in 1924.

It is said that 700 languages are spoken in Asia. That is 700 more than is spoken at Esopus.

The Methodists in their recent conference took a shot at the trusts. We bet the chicken trust got the worst sprinkling of all.

What the country wants to see in the way of a stunt is somebody that can make the G. O. P. elephant sir up straight. Rah for Parker!

Secretary Payne claims that the Postoffice Department attacks frauds. Yes, but what we want to hear is that it assaults them with a deadly weapon.

"The *Journal* covers Georgia like the dew," so the Atlanta *Journal* announces. We don't see how a Georgian could dewberry well without the *Journal*.

In Philadelphia on Wednesday Dr. Eghert Asabel Clark married Miss Helen Leech. It's a pokey doctor that doesn't know how to get blood out of his patients.

Georgia set the pace by instructing for Judge Parker. Virginia will follow suit next Thursday and North Carolina may as well settle it on the 23rd of June at Greensboro.

A New York society lady has decorated the neck of her dog with a $50,000 pearl necklace. There are those who would like to run in a pup like that during the dog days.

The coffee grounds in our cup tell us that Judge Parker is getting ready to talk on or about or shortly after the Democratic national convention gets in the first lick at St. Louis.

Mr. A. H. Eller, of the Winston Glenn club, is a Eller of a fellow on political prognostications. Metaphorically speaking, he claims "the heavens and the earth and the waters under the earth."

"Secretary Cortelyou, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, has never run down the trusts," says the Atlanta *Journal*. To make the secretary national chairman, therefore, was probably an intimation that no good trust need be afraid.

The men in Wall street declare that they have no fear of Roosevelt. Will Roosevelt take this as flattery or ridicule? Wall street winks the other eye, for it understands what is meant by the assurance that the administration will not run amuck.

Says an Exchange: "A Chicago man shot himself the other day because a certain girl refused to love him." Most all our trouble has been with the uncertain girl, but "we" have always positivey shirked the firing line when there was nobody but "us" to draw the gun on.

## FEDERAL COURT YESTERDAY.

**No Cases of Importance Were Tried. Wanton Injury to Rural Free Delivery Box—Charge of Crimping.**

No cases of interest were tried inthe Federal Court yesterday. The docket is the lightest in several years and cases appearing thereon are generally of no importance. The case of "crimping" from New Hanover will probably be called to-day and will be one of the most interesting matters of the term. Court met at 10 o'clock yesterday morning according to the usual form, all officers in attendance including Col. H. C. Dockery, the marshal, who was not present at the opening session. The following cases appear from the rough minutes of the proceedings:

G. W. Meschaw, Bladen county, illicit distilling; pleaded guilty; 30 days in jail; $100 fine and cost.

W. M. Stevenson, Columbus county; defaulting witness; scl fa dismissed upon answer.

A. B. McDonald, Jr., Richmond county; failure to obliterate stamp; motion to continue for balance of costs; motion denied.

Louis Lilly, Robeson county: retailing; balance of costs paid.

H. J. Willoughby, Scotland county; defaulting witness; nol pros with leave.

H. M. Covington, Cumberland county, retailing; 60 days in jail, $100 fine and costs.

Lewis Gappings, Columbus county, defaulting witness; it appearing that defendant has been in jail four weeks for this offence, the punishment is adjudged sufficient; judgment suspended.

J. S. Thompson, Scotland county, retailing; grand jury returns not a true bill. In this case the question was afterwards submitted to the court by consent as to the beverage sold, which was Jamaica ginger, being intoxicating and coming under the provisions of the statute. After hearing the testimony of the witnesses, the defendant was ordered discharged.

Proctor Allen, Columbus county, retailing; prayer for judgment continued from Fall term in 1903 to this term; defendant sentenced to 60 days in jail, $100 fine and costs; to be discharged at expiration of imprisonment.

Empie Long, Columbus county, illicit distilling and retailing; not a true bill by grand jury.

Proctor Allen, Columbus county, retailing; upon further consideration of the cause by the court, the judgment was ordered suspended on payment of costs.

Noah Robinson, Columbus county, retailing and distilling; defendant called and failed; judgment nisi for amount of bond, scl fa and capias.

Sam Long, Columbus; illicit distilling; pleaded not guilty; verdict by jury, not guilty.

Upon the opening of court this morning, a case in which Wm. Priest, Robeson county, is charged with injury to a rural delivery mail box by firing into the same, will be called. The grand jury returned a true bill yesterday.

J. H. White was excused as a juror for balance of the term. At 1:07 o'clock court took a recess until 10 A. M. to day.

A large number of scl fa cases which were called Monday and judgment absolute rendered therein, were reopened and the defendants allowed to file answer and affidavit, upon the hearing of which by the court, were adjudged sufficient and scl fa dismissed.

J. M. Edwards was designated and sworn during the day as officer of the grand jury.

## LOCAL DOTS.

— Mr. A. S. Winstead on yesterday received the first cargo of Georgia watermelons. They are selling from 25 to 40 cents.

— The Cape Fear Golf Club team was defeated by a score of 24 to 0 at Richmond Saturday. The Wilmington players were handicapped on account of the links.

— Knight's excursion went into Raleigh at 12:15 yesterday afternoon with about 900 people aboard, only about one-third of whom were from Wilmington. The train consisted of 12 coaches and a baggage car.

— John James Jordan, Jr., Jr., infant son of Mr. J. J. Jordan, died Monday evening at 6 o'clock at 111 Magnolia avenue. The funeral was conducted yesterday afternoon and the remains were interred in Bellevue.

— Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sneeden sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, Joseph S., aged six months and twenty days. After funeral services yesterday afternoon by Rev. A. McCullen, the remains were carried to Masonboro Sound for interment.

— "The Red Stockings," of Norfolk, will play a series of three games with "Big Bud's Black Stockings," of Wilmington, beginning Thursday at 4 P.M." Cookley's Southern Stars" suffered defeat in Monday's game with the "Nationals," of Raleigh, by a score of five to one.

— The Heptasophs, or Seven Wise Men, led by their Eminent Archon, Justice G. W. Bornemann, enjoyed a delightful outing at Carolina Beach yesterday. Three trips of the steamer "Wilmington" during the day and night carried down large crowds and everybody had a gay time.

**Death of an Infant.**

James Dickson, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bissett, died early yesterday morning at Portsmouth, Va. The remains arrived here last evening and the funeral will be conducted at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the residence of Mrs. Bissett's father, Mr. E. G. Polley, No. 912 Market street. Friends of the family have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

University—Of North Carolina.
Official—Dispensary election notice.
Freight Warehouses—Ulos'g hours.

## MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

**The Board of Audit and Finance Wrestling With Figures for Ensuing Fiscal Year.**

**A RECESS UNTIL TO-NIGHT.**

**Trying Hard to Make Increase in Salaries of Faithful Employes Without Exceeding Estimated Revenue—Tax Levy Same as 1903.**

The Board of Audit and Finance was unable to complete its consideration of the annual budget of city expenditures for the current fiscal year and transact the usual business incident to the regular monthly meeting last night and a recess was taken until 8:30 o'clock this evening when it is hoped to complete the work. Only three members of the Board were present last night, viz: Chairman H. C. McQueen and Messrs. C. W. Yates and J. A. Orrell. Upon the convening of the Board, Mr. George Rountree was heard in support of the petition of the police for increased pay and Capt. Donald MacRae was heard in behalf of the firemen in the same respect. The Board informed the advocates that it was then about to enter upon consideration of the budget of estimated expenditures and would have in mind their arguments when making up the appropriations covering those departments.

A communication from the Board of Aldermen informing the Finance Board of its action at the previous night's meeting was read. The tax ordinance as referred a second time from the Aldermen and including the suggestions of the Finance Board was taken up and adopted as a whole. The changes in the same have previously been published. The tax rate remains at $1.50 as suggested by the Finance Board, which could not see its way clear to make the reduction of ten cents recommended at the outset by the Aldermen. The reason assigned by the Finance Board for non-concurrence in the reduction is that the reduced rate will not produce revenue sufficent to meet contemplated expenditures for the year. The contract with Mr. C. H. Dock for the operation of the rock quarry obligates the city to take 20,000 tons of material for the year ended June 1st, 1905, and the cost of the same, delivered on the streets, will be $41,000. The fixed expenditures, bonds, coupons, etc., will be $43,000 for the year and the budget of expenses recommended by the Aldermen amounts to $119,004.25. The total is $203,004.25, while the estimated receipts based on the rate of $1.50 last year will not yield sufficient revenue. The actual collections last year were only $195,000.

The proposition of Capt. Edgar D. Williams for the maintenance of a fire tug was approved subject to proper contract and bond of $300.

It was ordered that during the Summer the regular meetings of the Board be held on the first and third Tuesday in each month as now but that the hour be changed from 8 P. M. to 3 P. M.

Consideration of the budget was the last thing taken up. The Board ran over all the items, made increases in some and reductions in others for the purpose of seeing what the aggregate would be, but adopted nothing, deferring everything until to-night at 8 o'clock. In running over the budget to see what the aggregate would be the Board figured on a raise of about 10 per cent. for the police and firemen from chief and other officers down. It was decided in figuring the increase to eliminate the separate appropriation of 10 cents a day for uniform, including that in a flat rate of so much per month and making a slight advance in the whole. Patrolmen will probably receive $1.75 per day instead of $1.50 and 10 cents per day for uniform as now; sergeants $2 per day instead of $1.75 per day and 10 cents for uniforms as now; captain, $850 instead of $836.50, including uniform, as now and chief, $1,350 per year instead of $1,236, including uniform, as now. In the fire department it was suggested to make the chief's salary $1,350 flat instead of $1,200 as now; assistant chief, $840 flat instead of $780 per year and $36.00 for uniform as now, foremen and engineers $52.50 per month flat instead of $47.50 per month and 10c. per day for uniform as now; twenty-five firemen, $45 per month instead of $40, and 10c. for uniform as now. In view of the increased revenue from that department by the falling off in receipts of live stock, it was suggested that the salary of cattle weigher be reduced from $360 to $300 per year. It was also decided to defer the budget of appropriation of $800 for the Nixon street water appropriation; it was thought the light appropriation could be reduced from $12,000 to $11,000, insurance fund from $1,000 to $800 and emergency from $300, to $200, Inasmuch as the Board had no official notice of the dispensary election no appropriation for the expenses of the same was considered last night. However, as before stated, nothing was adopted last night, the above having been merely suggestions in running over the various items. Nothing will be final until to-night. The Board will have to shave very closely to come within the bounds of the estimated revenue to be derived during the coming year. It will take much more conservative calculation and consideration before anything definite is accomplished.

— Tom Knight, the well known colored manager, will run an excursion to Fayetteville, Tuesday, June 28th.

## THE DISPENSARY ELECTION.

**Official Call Yesterday—No New Registration Required—Some of the Gossip on the Streets—Injunction.**

Elsewhere in to-day's STAR will be found the official call for the dispensary election in Wilmington, July 27th, as ordered by the Board of Aldermen at its regular meeting Monday night. The possibilities and probabilities of the contest was the most prolific source of conversation upon the streets yesterday. There's a multiplication of evidence that the contest will be bitter and to the finish. Chairman Grady, of the Campaign Committee, says the campaign will open in earnest during the coming week; that a number of fine speakers have been engaged and every influence will be brought to bear upon the voters. Meantime, the anti-dispensary advocates confidently assert their ability to show to the courts that the election has been illegally called and upon that confidence they are free to say that the election will never be held. "There's plenty of time," replied one of the counsel for the saloon interests, when asked yesterday when a petition for an injunction would probably be filed. "We're in no hurry and there's nothing to lose by waiting," he added. That is the talk on the streets; it is not the custom of the local columns of this paper to carry editorial comment. The expression of both sides, so far as it has news value, is given.

As stated yesterday morning, there will be be no new registration. According to the official advertisement published elsewhere in to-day's paper, the registrars in the several wards are required to revise the books so as to show an accurate list of the electors, previously registered in the several wards and still residing therein. For several days preceding the election, beginning Friday, July 8th, the registrars shall attend at the polling places for the registration of any new electors. On the second Saturday before election the books will be open for challenges to be heard and determined as prescribed by law.

## LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

**Mr. Beckwell Young, of Chicago, Addressed Large Gathering in Court House.**

Mr. Bicknell Young, of Chicago, Ill., was heard by a large gathering of both ladies and gentlemen upon the occasion of his lecture upon Christian Science, under the auspices of the First church of that denomination in this city, last night in the county court room. Mr. Young impressed all as an earnest and forcible speaker and his lecture was listened to with attentive interest by all under the sound of his voice. It would be unjust to the lecturer and to the cause he represents to attempt a synopsis of his remarks and space forbids a publication of the full text. Mr. Young spoke for nearly an hour and a half, but his engaging manner on the platform, the substance of what he said and the delightfully cool auditorium made the address appear much shorter than it would have otherwise seemed.

The extensive repairs in progress in both of the regular auditoriums of the city forbade the lecture taking place in either of the two, but the Court House was most attractively decorated with palms, plants, flowers and flags and from that standpoint the environment of the lecture was all that could be desired. The distinguished lecturer was introduced by State Senator-elect Brooke G. Empie. Mr. Young is being entertained at The Orton and members of the Christian Science congregation in Wilmington and others called upon him there yesterday.

Mr. Young leaves this afternoon for Newbern and will later visit Winston and Raleigh.

## BAD WRECK NARROWLY AVERTED.

**A. C. L. Train No. 51 Derailed Two Miles This Side of Charleston Yesterday.**

Southern train No. 51, of the Atlantic Coast Line which left Wilmington at 6 o'clock came, very near being in a disastrous wreck two miles this side of Charleston yesterday morning. The train was moving at the rate of about 25 miles an hour and in passing a switch the rear trucks of the mail car and the front trucks of the second-class coach attempted to follow the same with the result that both were derailed and tore up the track a distance of about 200 feet. One hundred feet further there was a trestle and into that the train would have plunged but for the fact that the cars were speedily stopped. Mr. Ed. Nelson, of Wilmington, was mail agent on the car, and as soon as he realized what the trouble was he applied the emergency brakes. There was much confusion among the passengers, but fortunately no one was hurt. A train was sent from Charleston to make the transfer at the wreck.

**Death of Jos. C. Pittman.**

The Raleigh *News and Observer* of yesterday records the death in that city of Mr. Joseph C. Pittman, for many years a compositor on this paper and an esteemed resident of Wilmington. He was a brave soldier and an honest, upright Christian gentleman. He leaves a wife, two daughters and two sons, Mr. W. J. Pittman, of Harrisburg, Pa., and J. C. Pittman, of this city. His daughters are Mrs. L. G. Grissom, of Raleigh, Mrs. W. L. Bell, of Norfolk, Va.

Services at First Church of Christ, Scientist, Murchison Bank building, this evening at 8:15 o'clock. All are invited.

## THEY BURY THE DEAD

**Fifteenth Annual Convention of State Funeral Directors and Embalmers in Session.**

**AT WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH.**

**Opening Exercises Yesterday—Addresses by J. M. Connelly, Esq., President of National Association—Maj. L. T. Christian, Richmond.**

The North Carolina Association of Funeral Directors and Embalmers was called to order in 15th annual convention at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, by President A. T. Barnes, of Henderson, yesterday afternoon. In the absence of Secretary W. L. Bell, of Concord, Mr. W. L. Simmons, of Tarboro, was called as secretary pro tem. Roll call showed about 50 members in attendance with a number of distinguished visitors, several of them being from other States. The Rev. James Carmichael, D. D., of Wilmington, invoked a divine blessing upon the deliberations of the body and a cordial address of welcome was delivered by Mr. James F. Woolvin, of this city. The response was by several members of the Association, all of whom expressed delight at the pleasure of being at Wrightsville and thanks for the words of welcome spoken by Mr. Woolvin. The officers of the Association are as follows:

President—A. T. Barnes, Henderson.

First Vice President—James F. Woolvin, of Wilmington.

Second Vice President — B. F. Amerson, of Wilson.

Third Vice President—J. F. Morris, of Winston-Salem.

Secretary—W. L. Bell, Concord.

Treasurer—E. Poole, Greensboro.

The presence in the meeting of J. M. Connelly, Esq., president of the National Association, was noted and by invitation he delivered a most interesting and profitable address, urging members of the State Association along the lines of sanitation and professional science, clearly demonstrating that the mission of the funeral director of the present, as against that of the undertaker of the past, is not only to "bury the dead" but protect the living against the ravages of disease.

A number of committees were named by the Association with instructions to report to-day.

Maj. L. T. Christian, of Richmond, a leading funeral director of the Old Dominion and secretary of the State Association of Virginia, also secretary of the Board of Examiners of applicants for license to practice embalming in that State, was present at yesterday's sessions, being an honorary member of the North Carolina Association. He was called upon and made some very timely remarks. At last night's session, Mr. D. W. Hardy, of Henderson, read a well prepared and very interesting paper on the preparation of the dead as a high calling, inasmuch as the work of the undertaker prepares the corpse for the final joining of the soul and body to meet the Almighty.

After motions and resolutions of respect, the report of delegates to the National Association at Minneapolis, Minn., last year, and other interesting exercises, the convention took a recess until 10 A. M. to-day.

The Association will continue in session to-day and to-morrow.

## THE CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

**Delegates Leave To-day for Maxton—Mr. Patterson's Renomination Conceded.**

The Sixth District Congressional Convention will meet in Maxton, N. C., the home of Hon. G. B. Patterson, to-morrow noon and there appears little doubt but that Mr. Patterson will be renominated by acclamation. The situation has clarified wonderfully since the convention was called about six weeks ago, when half a dozen or more candidates for the nomination were mentioned. The STAR on yesterday published a card from Mr. Iredell Meares, of Wilmington, withdrawing from the race and there appears but little doubt but that the New Hanover delegation will be strongly, if not solidly for Mr. Patterson. Wilmington delegates will leave for the convention to-day. Col. Geo. L. Morton, chairman of the District Executive Committee, announces that both railroads offer a rate of one fare for the round trip to Maxton, plus 25c., or $3.05.

**Funeral of Mrs. Riley.**

The funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Mary Riley were conducted at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the residence of her grand daughter, Mrs. C. H. O'Berry, No. 423 South Front street, the Rev. J. M. Wells, Ph. D., and the Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., officiating. A large number of friends were in attendance, and the floral offerings were very pretty. The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery, the following friends of the family having acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. Samuel Northrop, John McLaurin, W. H. Hardy, Jno. J. Fowler, W. M. Cumming and J. C. Morrison.

**Freight Warehouses to Close.**

Attention is called to the joint notice of the Atlantic Coast Line and Seaboard Air Line that their freight warehouses will be closed, beginning with June 11th and continuing through September, at 1 P. M. on Saturdays. No goods will be received for shipment or deliveries made on Saturdays after 1 P. M. until the close of September.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. J. A. Cavanaugh, of Wallace, was here yesterday.

— Hon. B. F. Aycock, of Whiteville, was here yesterday.

— Judge Thos. R. Purnell and family are guests at the Seashore Hotel.

— Miss Teden, of Laurinburg, is here visiting her cousin, Miss Lillie Everett.

— Mr. John H. Rehder has gone North on a business trip for J. H. Rehder & Co.

— Editor Fred R. Mintz, of the Mount Olive *Tribune*, was here yesterday.

—Miss Louise Hill left yesterday to spend the Summer at her home in Goldsboro.

— Mr. J. B. Beatty, of Klondike, Bladen county, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday.

— Mr. J. Bernard Williamson, who has been attending school in Raleigh, has returned home.

— Mr. W. M. Everett, of Norfolk, Va., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Everett.

—Mr. John B. Stronarch, the well known National Cash Register salesman, arrived yesterday.

— R. E. Lee and P. C. Blake, Esqs., of Lumberton, arrived yesterday to attend Federal Court.

— Maxcy L. John, Esq., of Laurinburg, who came down on business in the Federal Court, returned yesterday afternoon.

— Mrs. J. H. Brown and little son, of Mobile, are visiting Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. C. B. Dudley, Second and Castle streets.

— J. O. Carr, Esq., returned yesterday from Kenansville, where he attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the James Sprunt Institute.

— B. F. McLean, Esq., of Maxton, ex-Judge Thos. H. Sutton, of Fayetteville, and Claude M. Bernard, Esq., of Raleigh, are among the visiting attorneys upon Federal Court.

— Mayor Wm. E. Springer left yesterday for Durham to attend Trinity commencement and to be present at the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the college of which he is a member. Mayor Springer will be away the remainder of the week.

— Rev. R. H. Herring, of Albemarle, formerly pastor of Southside Baptist church of this city, arrived yesterday accompanied by his wife and children. His numerous friends were exceedingly glad to see them. Mr. Herring will be here till Saturday and will go to Fayetteville, where he will preach next Sunday.

—Superintendent G. W. Ribble, of this division of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company with headquarters in Washington, D. C., arrived yesterday on a regular visit of inspection to the local office. Mr. Ribble recently succeeded Mr. J. W. Kales, retired, and removed his headquarters to Washington.

— Mr. Clayton C. Redd, a popular young Wilmingtonian, who has spent the past several years in New York, is in Wilmington on a visit to friends and relatives. Mr. Redd is now assistant foreman in the composing rooms of the well known "Success" magazine and is rapidly winning his way to the front in metropolitan newspaper making.

**MR. JOHN R. LONDON.**

(Communicated.)

The old friends in Wilmington of Mr. John R. London will regret to hear of his death at his home in Rock Hill, S. C., on last Wednesday night.

He was born in this city on the 20th day of January, 1833, being the eldest child of Henry Adolphus and Sallie Lord London. At the early age of fourteen he became a clerk in the well known Commission House of DeRosset & Brown, where he remained until 1858, when he removed to Boston where he carried on a most successful business as a cotton commission merchant. Until his removal from this city he was one of the most prominent young business men and took an active part in everything pertaining to the advancement of our city's interest. He was long a member of the old Wilmington Light Infantry and for many years an officer in that company. He was also an active member of the old Thalian Association.

At the breaking out of the war he promptly returned to this State and cast his fortunes with his kith and kin. Shortly after the close of the war he moved to Rock Hill, S. C., then a small hamlet, and now one of the most prosperous cities of the Palmetto State. He took a most active and prominent part in the upbuilding of this prosperous town and for many years had been a pioneer in the cotton milling industry, at the time of his death being president of the Victoria Cotton Mill.

All of our elder citizens who knew him remember him with much pleasure and are grieved to hear of his death.

**S. C. Woodmen Coming.**

A big excursion from Darlington, S. C., under the auspices of Orange Camp No. 152, Woodmen of the World, of that city, will arrive this morning and go straight through to Carolina Beach on the steamer "Wilmington," which will be held in waiting for the party, without regard to the schedule. The afternoon trip of the boat at 2:45 will also be cancelled on account of the excursion. Mr. John Reb Drake is manager and Mr. Gordon Wilkes is treasurer of the excursion. The train will leave for the return at 10 o'clock to-night.

**DIED.**

FLEMING—At her home, Seventeenth and Market streets, Monday, June 6th, at 4:30 A. M., JANE FLEMING, aged 65 years, one month and seven days.

Funeral Tuesday, June 7th, 1904, at 10 o'clock, by the Rev. H. W. Hogue. Interment in Pine Forest cemetery.




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Yours truly,
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**NOTICE.**

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## ELECTION NOTICE!

Take notice that an election will be held in the City of Wilmington on Wednesday, the 27th day of July, 1904, for the purpose of submitting to the people the following issues to be voted upon by them:

1. Whether intoxicating liquors shall be manufactured in the City of Wilmington, N. C.?

2. Whether dispensaries shall be established in the said City of Wilmington, North Carolina?

The polls will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until sunset on the day of election at the following places:

First Ward—Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Registrar, J. A. Barnes. Judges of Election, G. F. Quinn, F. T. Skipper.

Second Ward—Old Court House. Registrar, W. W. Hodges. Judges of Election, W. Sloan Huggins, L. Tate Bowden.

Third Ward—Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets. Registrar, A. G. Hankins. Judges of Election, C. C. Covington, Jno. C. Boesch.

Fourth Ward—Worth Ice House, Dock street. Registrar, T. G. Pickett. Judges of Election, Geo. D. Parsley, H. L. Vollers.

Fifth Ward—Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets. Registrar, W. D. Rhodes. Judges of Election, K. W. Jewell, T. G. Landen.

By order of the Board of Aldermen, this June 6th, 1904.

B. F. KING,
Clerk and Treasurer.

**Registration Notice.**

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen held in the city of Wilmington on Monday June 6th, 1904, it was ordered that a registration be had in all the wards of the city for the purpose of allowing voters to register for an election to be held in the different wards of the city on Wednesday, 27th day of July, 1904. To vote upon the following questions to be submitted to the people:

1st. Whether intoxicating liquors shall be manufactured in the city of Wilmington, N. C.

2nd. Whether dispensary shall be established in the city of Wilmington, N. C.

The registration books will be open at the following places:

First Ward, Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets, J. A. Barnes, registrar.

Second Ward, Old Court House, W. W. Hodges, registrar.

Third Ward, Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets, A. G. Hankins, registrar.

Fourth Ward, Worth's Ice House, Dock street, T. G. Pickett, registrar.

Fifth Ward, Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets, W. Rhodes, registrar.

In accordance with Section 6, Chapter 750, Acts of 1901, registrars will be furnished with registration books and shall take oath to faithfully discharge the duties of registrars as prescribed by law; shall revise the registration books of their respective wards, so as to show an accurate list of the electors previously registered in such ward or precinct and still residing therein, without requiring such electors to be registered anew; said registrars shall between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. on each day (Sunday excepted) for seven days preceding the day for closing the registration books as hereinafter provided, keep open said books for the registration of any new electors residing in such ward or precinct and entitled to register whose names have never before been registered in such ward or precinct, or do not appear in the revised list; that said books shall be open until 9 o'clock P. M. of each Saturday during such registration period; that said books shall be closed for registration on the second Saturday before election, July 27th, 1904; that on the second Saturday before the election said registration books shall be kept open at the polling place in each ward or precinct to the inspection of the electors of the ward or precinct, and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books, such challenges to be heard and determined as provided for in Chapter 750, Acts of 1901. The registration shall begin on Friday, July 8th, 1904, and close on Saturday, July 16th, 1904.

B. F. KING,
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 8.


### CONSIDER THE WAYS OF RIP VANWINKLE.

Not even to made doubly sure of his nomination for President will Judge Alton Brooks Parker speak out before the St. Louis convention meets. The nomination is seeking him and he has not had pardonable demagoguery enough to casually say anything that would electrify the country with enthusiasm and put all the other candidates out of business.

Judge Parker has preserved a dignified silence and said nothing nor done anything calculated to create a stampede of delegates to St. Louis with flying Parker banners. The silent statesman at Esopus haf been a dignified "looker on in Vienna," while his eminent fitness for the Presidency, illustrated by his marked ability, unsullied character and invulnerable record, has made him the cynosure to which the Democracy has turned its eyes. State after State has followed the star of destiny till it set over Esopus and stood still, and as North Carolina has followed that star a long distance let it not be said that the Old North State went to sleep on the trail and woke up to find herself curled up by the side of the comatose Rip Van Winkle in his bed of leaves in Sleepy Hollow. "Old Rip" would be surprised himself to open his eyes and find that North Carolina was his side partner.

This fable teaches that a man should not indulge in dope to such an extent that he would nod in the presence of Jupiter. "The wise man despiseth not instruction," which is not "a hard saying" to be considered when the Democratic State convention meets in Greensboro on the 23rd of June.

### MAKING JUDGE PARKER TALK.

It is a wise man that waits for confirmation of a war story from the Far East. So be it when there come storie from Esopus or Gotham that *Judge Alton Brooks* Parker has said anything whatsoever. He has been silent so long that he will have to break the silence himself in order to make us believe that he has really said anything up to now. While we do not know whether he has spoken or not, as a matter of current interest we copy this from the political gossip column in the Washington *Post*:

From more than one reliable New York source it is learned that Judge Parker is personally managing his Presidential campaign and that he is doing it in a manner which commands the admiration of Democratic politicians privileged to know what the moves on the political chess board are. He makes frequent trips to New York city, is in consultation with *leading* politicians there; in fact, has *regular* places of rendezvous with his lieutenants. *Furthermore, he resents the talk of his being Hill's man. A few days ago* he remarked to a prominent Democrat who called to see him: "I am no man's man." This was said with much spirit when the subject of Hill's connection with his campaign was mentioned.

"I prize the friendship of Mr. Hill," the chief judge is reported as having said. "I am very glad to have him among my supporters and identified with the same party as myself, but I am not his man."

Since the Albany convention, so it is asserted, the two have seen each other but once, and that was when they passed on the road, the chief judge being on horseback and the ex-Senator driving in his carriage.

The STAR gives the above story for what it is worth. The wary reader will note, however, that the two items given above are made up of information that comes in a round about way.

### ANOTHER COTTON PERIL.

The Augusta *Chronicle*, of Sunday, reports that a new peril to the growing cotton crop has been discovered in Georgia. From a description of the damage which the insect does to the cotton stalk before it even gets to the fruiting stage, we should say that it is more to be dreaded than the boll weevil. Says the *Chronicle*:

A new insect, known as the cotton stalk weevil, has made its appearance in Georgia and is raising havoc with the young cotton in Terrell county. State Entomologist Willmon Newell has just returned from Dawson, where he made a thorough examination of the weevil and its work, and he is now arranging for a treatment of the cotton plants which have been attacked by the insect and for a remedy that will completely destroy it.

The insect attacks the stem or the stalk of the cotton and nearly every plant attacked dies very shortly afterwards. The farmers in Terrell county are very much alarmed over the appearance of the new kind of bug. Entomologist Newell states that he has never seen or heard of such an insect before.

The bug is almost as dangerous as the boll weevil, as it destroys the stalks of the cotton before the boll weevil appears. If the insect should scatter over the State as fast as it is scattering in Terrell county it will be a serious thing for the farmers to contend with this year, and the cotton crop in Georgia will be materially shortened.

Entomologist Newell says he will exert every effort to destroy the insect before it makes a spread of the State. He does not think that the boll weevil has as yet made its appearance in Georgia, but he regards the new insect which has appeared and which attacks young cotton stalks as a very dangerous factor and he is anxious to get rid of it as soon as possible.


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### CONSUMPTION

Mainly Caused by Chronic Colds and Hanging-on Coughs.

Mr. Robert R. Bellamy our well known druggist, has given a good deal of time to the study of consumption, and finds that comparatively few cases are hereditary.

Mostly all are caused by neglected coughs and colds, which gradually weaken the whole pulmonary system, and before people realize it there is a diseased spot in one lung; spitting blood soon follows and eventually a collapse.

Such an unnecessary end, such a pity, for all could have been so different. We know of hundreds of cases where our wonderful cod liver oil preparation, Vinol, has saved a young and valuable life, which without it would have been sacrificed. We have letters from people who were given up to die, and who positively state that Vinol, and Vinol alone, saved their lives when all else had failed to help them.

Vinol is able to cure hanging-on colds and stubborn coughs, because it is the most perfect preparation of cod liver oil ever compounded; it contains no oil or grease to upset the delicate stomach, yet it does contain every one of the fifty odd medicinal curative elements actually taken from fresh cods' livers, and we freely and publicly state that we will supply all the Vinol we think necessary to cure any case of chronic coughs, hanging on colds or weak and debilitated conditions of Wilmington people, and pay for the medicine ourselves if it fails to give satisfactory results.

How can we express our faith in Vinol more emphatically! Robt. R. Bellamy, Druggist.


### CURRENT COMMENT.

— Santo Dumos is not expected to return to this country from Europe. That is to say, he has just left Europe for America, travelling in his airship.—Atlanta Journal.

— That Atlantic & North Carolina road seems to be a sort of live wire. There is certainly nothing defunct about it except those who have to run up against it.—Florence Times-Herald.

— The announcement that Mr. Frick is not a candidate to succeed the late Senator Quay leads to the conclusion that the stories of his enormous wealth have been exaggerated.—Washington Post.

— One of the new insular possessions of the United States was largely in evidence at the commencement exercises of the National University law school, which took place at the National Theatre. There were seventy-four graduates, two of whom were native Porto Ricans. One of these Porto Ricans, Senor Eugenio Benitez (Castano) carried away five of the ten prizes and medals that were offered for various exhibitions of scholarly attainment. —Washington Post.

### TWINKLINGS.

— "Is that the same auto you bought last year?" All except the body and three wheels.—Town Topics.

— Claude: If I kiss you will you call your father? Maude: It won't be at all necessary for you to kiss the whole family.—New Yorker.

— Mrs. Topnotch—Our children act superior to us. Mr. Topnotch—Cheer up, Eustacia; their children will act superior to them.—Indianapolis Journal.

— "He voted the Prohibition ticket for twenty years, but he has quit." "What caused the change." "High water backed up over his farm this spring and ruined forty acres of wheat."

— Don't kill the birds. Even the crows should be allowed to live until the disappointed candidates are ready for them in November.—Indianapolis News.

— First Deacon—I wonder why it is that we have so many pennies in the collection? Second Deacon—The only reason I know of is because we have no smaller coins.—St. Paul Dispatch.

— "Have you heard about the latest insurance company?" "No; what is it?" "Why it's one that promises to pay allimony to both parties, in case the marriage proves a failure."

— "Young man," said the Magazine editor, "there is a fortune in this poem." "Then you can have it," exclaimed the delighted poet. "No. You have brought it to the wrong place. Get some patent medicine man to put it on the market as a cure for insomnia."

— "Good evening," said thirsty Finnegan, looking in at Flanagan's door. "What d'ye want?" asked Flanagan, who was weary of appeasing Finnegan's thirst. "Nothin'," replied Finnegan. "Well, ye'll find it in the bottle where the whiskey was."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.


## "Go West,

Ranch it and rough it and you'll soon get rid of that weak chest and that hacking cough." That is what the doctor said to a young married man with a wife and child to care for and a modest salary to support them on. He *couldn't* go West. Love and duty tied him to his desk in the city.



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## COMMERCIAL.

### WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, June 7.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 52c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip, $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 47c; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $1.65; crude turpentine firm at $2.00, 3.25@3.75.

RECEIPTS.

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| Spirits turpentine | 71 |
| Rosin | 260 |
| Tar | 40 |
| Crude turpentine | 198 |

Receipts same day last year—55 casks spirits turpentine, 309 barrels rosin, 50 barrels tar, 98 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts—41 bales; same day last year, 1.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.30; extra prime, $1.35; fancy, $1.40, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, $1.05; extra prime, $1.07½; fancy, $1.10. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@15c per pound; shoulders, 12c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@45c; springs, 20@30c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12½@13c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@4c per pound.

### FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Money on call easy; highest 1¼ per cent.; lowest 1 per cent; ruling rate 1¼ per cent; last loan 1 per cent.; closing bid 1¼ per cent.; offered at 1 per cent; time loans easy and dull; sixty days 2@2¼ per cent.; ninety days 2@2½ per cent.; six months 3@3¼ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3¼@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.60@487.65 for demand and 485.75@485.80 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 486@486½ and 488½. Commercial bills 485¼. Bar silver 55¼. Mexican dollars 44¼. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 104¾; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 105; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 105¾; do. coupon, 106; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 132¾; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 133⅝; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106; do. coupon, 107; Atlantic Coast Line 4's 95½ b.; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 107¼ b; Southern Railway, 5's, 116. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 90½; Chesapeake & Ohio 30; Manhattan L 144; New York Central 114⅝; Reading 45½; do. 1st pref'd, 78; do. 2nd pref'd 63; Southern Railway 20½; do. pref'd 82¾; Amalgamated Copper 49¾; People's Gas 95¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 33¾; U. S. Leather 6⅝; U. S. Leather, preferred, 80⅜; Western Union 86¼; U. S. Steel 8⅞; do. preferred 53⅜; Mexican Central —; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 24¼; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 100; sales — shares. Standard Oil 623.

BALTIMORE, MD., June 7.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 7½@8; do. preferred, 16½@17; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 107@108; do. preferred. —.

### NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine 56@56½c.

CHARLESTON, June 7.—Spirits turpentine firm at 52c; sales — casks; Rosin firm; sales — barrels; A, B, C $2 50; D, $2 50, E, $2 60; F, $2 65; G, 2 75; H, $2 80; I, $3 05; K, $3 30; M, $3 65; N, $3 75; W G, $3 95; W W. $4 35.

SAVANNAH, June 7.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 52¼c; receipts 1,156 casks; sales 709 casks; exports 260 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 3,607 barrels; sales 1,090 barrels; exports 260 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, $2 60; D, $2 60; E, $2 75; F, $2 80; G, $2 85; H, $2 90; I, $3 15; K, $3 40; M, $3 65; N, $3 85; W G. $4 05; W W. $4 50.

### COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 7.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of two to nine points on covering, promoted by rather better English cables than expected and less favorable weather. The English spot market was particularly encouraging, as sales amounted to only 5,000 bales at a decline of fourteen points, but futures were considerably better than due and private cables were of a bullish tenor, indicating the probability of resumption of full time among British spinners and a better spot demand in the near future. As for the weather, conditions were not bad, but there were further rains in western sections where they are believed to do more harm than good, and altogether there was enough of a bullish nature in the market to cause shorts uneasiness by the recent sharp decline. The weekly crop report at midday was thought likely to prove bearish, but was uncertain and helped the movement which continued all the forenoon with Wall street and the South buyers. Prices ruled rather irregular, meeting with frequent slight set-backs under realizing by buyers at the low prices of yesterday, but in a general way the market worked upward. The weekly bureau report indicated a general improvement in the condition of cotton. July went up to 11.58, a net gain of forty-six points, while October sold at 9.80. About five minutes before the close a leading room broker representing a Wall street wire house with New Orleans connection, became a heavy seller, chiefly of August, and that position went down about nine points. The other months went off slightly in sympathy and the list was finally barely steady, net twenty-three to forty-two points higher. Sales were estimated at 550,000 bales.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Cotton was quoted quiet at 11.80c, net receipts 50 bales; gross receipts 1,903 bales; stock—no report.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 20 points higher; middling uplands 11.80c; middling gulf 12.05c; sales 102 bales.

Cotton futures closed barely steady: June 11.40, July 11.50, August 10.90, September 10.07, October 9 76, November 9.67, December 9 68, January 9.74.

Total to day, at all seaports—Net receipts 4,044 bales; exports to Great Britain 11,834 bales; exports to France 401 bales; exports to the Continent — bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 262,590 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 8,004 bales; exports to Great Britain 16,532 bales; exports to France 401 bales; exports to the Continent — bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts — bales; exports to Great Britain 2,379,226 bales; exports to France 680,053 bales; exports to the Continent 2,489,338 bales; exports to Japan 41,936 bales; exports to Mexico 26,671 bales.

June 7.—Galveston, steady at 11⅜c; net receipts 859 bales; Norfolk, nominal at —, net receipts 200 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 11.75c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 11.60c, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts — bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 12.05, net receipts 8 bales; Savannah, easy at 11¼, net receipts 582 bales; New Orleans, firm at 11⅝c, net receipts 895 bales; Mobile, nominal at 11½c, net receipts 1,415 bales; Memphis, steady at 11⅝c, net receipts 76 bales; Augusta, quiet at 11¼c, net receipts 77 bales; Charleston, nominal, net receipts — bales.

### PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 7.—Flour was in active demand. Rye flour steady. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2red nominal. Options opened barely steady owing to easy cables and favorable weather, but at once recovered and were firm all day, the close being ⅜@¾c net higher: July closed 93¼c; September closed 85½c; December 84⅞c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 57½c. Option market closed quiet but higher on light receipts at Chicago: July closed 55¼c; September closed —c. Oats—Spot steady; mixed, 26 and 32 pounds, 45½@46c. Lard firm; Western steam $6 90; refined firm; continent —; compound 5¼@5⅝. Pork firm; family $13 75@14 09; short clear $13 25@13 75. Butter easy; extra creamery 13@18½c; State dairy 13@17½. Cheese firm; State, large, 8⅛@8¼c; small, 8⅜@9½. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania nearby, average finest, 20@21; South'n inferiors 13@14c. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 6c; other domestic 3¼@6½c. Cabbages weak; Southern, per barrel crate, $1 00@1 50. Freights to Liverpool-Cotton by steam 12. Rice steady. Molasses dull. Tallow quoted firm; city ($2 per package) 4¾; country (package free) 4½c. Sugar—Raw nominal; fair refining 3⅜c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅞c; molasses sugar 3⅛c; refined steady; confectioner's A $4 75; mould A $5 25; cut loaf $5 60; crushed $5 60; powdered $5 00; granulated $4 90; cubes $5 25. Potatoes steady; Southern, $4 00@5 25; Jersey sweets $3 00@5 00; State and Western sacks $3 00@3 25. Cotton seed oil was firm with a firm undertone in the absence of offerings and in sympathy with a better feeling in products. Closing prices: Prime crude, f.o.b. mills 21c; prime summer yellow 28½c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 33c; prime winter yellow 33c.

CHICAGO, June 7.—A large decrease in the world's visible supply was perhaps the principal bull influence in the wheat market to-day. Crop damage reports from the Southwest, however, were of almost equal importance. Final quotations on July wheat showed a gain of ⅝@¾c, corn is up ¼@⅜. Oats advanced ⅛@¼c and provisions 15 to 37½c.

CHICAGO, June 7.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 95@98c; No. 3 spring 85@96c; No. 2 red $1 05@1 06. Corn—No. 2 49½@50c; No. 2 yellow 50½c. Oats—No. 2 41⅞@42¼c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 42@43½c. Rye—No. 2, —c. Mess pork, per bbl., $12 05@@12 20. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 50@6 57½. Short rib sides, loose, $6 62½@6 87½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no report. Short clear sides, boxed, $6 75@7 00. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 28.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 88½ 88½, 89⅝, 88¼, 89¼c; do., new, 87½, 88⅜@88⅞, 87½, 88@88½c; September, old, 83¼, 83¾, 83¼, 83¼@83⅜c; do. new, 81⅜@83¼, 82½, 81⅜@81½, 81⅞c. Corn—No. 2 July 48½, 48⅛, 48⅜, 48½; September 47⅝@47¾, 48⅜, 47⅝, 48¼@48⅜c. Oats—No. 2 June —c; July 39⅝, 40, 39⅜@39¼, 39¾@39⅞c; September 31⅛, 31¼, 30⅞, 31⅛. Mess pork, per bbl—July $11 80, 12 15, 11 80, 12 15; September $12 00, 12 32½, 12 00, 12 32½. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $6 50, 6 62½, 6 50, 6 62½; September $6 70, 6 80, 6 67½, 6 80. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—$6 82½, 6 95, 6 80, 6 95; September $7 05, 7 15, 7 00, 7 15.

### NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 6¾c; mild quiet; Cordova 9¾@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points. The market ruled generally steady to firm all the session, closing firm at a net advance of 18 to 15 points. Sales 18,500 bags.

### FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, June 7.—Cotton: Spot, quiet, with prices fourteen points lower; American middling fair 6.72d; good middling 6.58d; middling 6.48d; low middling 6.34d; good ordinary 6.20d; ordinary 6.00d. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 4,500 bales American. Receipts 5,000 bales, including 4,900 bales American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady; American middling (g o c): June 6.32d; June and July 6.23d; July and August 6.16d; August and September 5.94d; September and October 5.46d; October and November 5.25d; November and December 5.18d; December and January 5.16d; January and February 5.15d.

### BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 2 barrels tar, 18 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—19 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—15 casks spirits turpentine, 104 barrels rosin, 3 barrels tar, 29 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—23 casks spirits turpentine, 2 barrels tar, 30 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Tar Heel—14 casks spirits turpentine, 74 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 68 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer City of Fayetteville—41 bales cotton, 10 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar, 15 barrels crude turpentine.

Schooner Missouri—15 casks spirits turpentine, 72 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar.

Schooner Alice—1 barrel tar, 19 barrels crude tupentine.

Total—41 bales cotton, 71 casks spirits turpentine, 260 barrels rosin, 40 barrels tar, 198 barrels crude turpentine.


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Clyde steamer Carib, Chichester, New York, H G Smallbones.

CLEARED.

Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S M King.


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50 Boxes Miller's Violet Kisses.
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1,000 Rolls 2-Lb, Bagging.
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**D. L GORE COMPANY,**

Wholesale Grocers and Importers,
je 1 tf Wilmington, N. C.



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Beginning to day the freight schedule on the suburban trolley line will be as follows: Leave Ninth and Orange streets at 10 00 A. M., 4 00 P. M. and 8 30 P. M. The freight depot will be open for the receipt of freight

From 7 to 9 30 A. M.
" 1 to 3 30 P. M.
" 7 to 8 00 "

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**Canteloupes**

OKRA AND NEW IRISH POTATOES

Olives Stuffed with Celery

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## Apples, Oranges,

Bananas, Cluster Raisins,

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Washington Bread every day.

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Now, that warm weather is upon us and the appetites requiring the most dainty food, we offer the following:

Fresh Creamery Butter, 1-lb blocks and 5-lb pails, something nice. Also the freshest vegetables in market, especially Tomatoes and new Irish Potatoes. Spring Chickens. A nice lot of North Carolina Hams, delightful for sandwiches.

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The following popular books, former price $1.50, now only 50c. These books are all handsomely bound in cloth:

The Virginians, by Wister.
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Hearts Courageous, by Rives.
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The Price of Freedom, by Marchmont.
Fort Birket, by Townsend.
The two VonRevels, by Tarkingham.
The First of the Hoosiers, by Eggleston.
Sherlock Holmes, by Doyle.
Singular Life, by Phelps.
The Puppet Crown, MacGraft.
When Knighthood was in Flower, by Caskoden.
Farm Ballards, by Carleton.
Redemption of David Corson, by Goss.
The Aristocrats, by Atherton.

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### FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made by John Wm. Brown and wife, Mary, to the Wilmington Homestead and Loan Association, registered in Book No. 35, page 585 et seq of the Records of the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder at public auction for cash at the Court House door, in the city of Wilmington, N. C., on the 18th day of June, 1904, at 12 o'clock M., the following described lot situate in said city. Beginning at southeastern intersection of Rankin and Wood streets, runs thence eastwardly with the southern line of Rankin street 33 feet; thence southwardly parallel with Wood street 145 feet to the northern line of Charlotte street; thence westwardly along the said northern line of Charlotte street parallel with Rankin street 33 feet to the eastern line of Wood street; thence northwardly along said eastern line of Wood street 145 feet to the beginning, being the Western part of lot 1, 2 and 3, of block 228.

WILMINGTON HOMESTEAD AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

By John D. Bellamy, Attorney. my 21 30t

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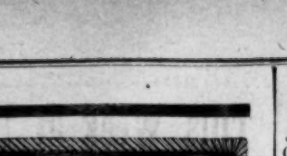
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

## The Murchison National Bank,

At close of Business March 28, 1904. (Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

| RESOURCES: | | LIABILITIES: | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loans and Discounts | $1,073,727 43 | Capital | $ 300,000 00 |
| U. S. Bonds (at par) | 350,000 00 | Surplus and net profits | 121,120 31 |
| Bank Building | 29,500 00 | Circulation | 222,350 00 |
| Cash on hand and in Banks | 510,449 42 | Deposits | 1,320,206 54 |
| | $1,963,676 85 | | $1,963,676 85 |

Comparative statement of deposits,
March 28th, 1903, $691,574 06. March 28th, 1904, $1,320,206 54.
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H. C. McQUEEN, President,

J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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## SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Salisbury Sun: Mr. E. I. Frost, who until the sale of the Salisbury Gas and Electric Company's plant was manager of the company, has about perfected all plans for the establishment of a big manufacturing plant in Salisbury.

— At Raleigh on Monday the Secretary of State granted a charter to the Wilson Light and Power Co., of Wilson, the purpose being to maintain light and power plant. The capital is $125,000 and the incorporators are J. C. Hale, B. F. Lane, Claudius Aycock, E. L. Armfield and David Daniel.

— Salisbury Sun: We have never been among those who saw no good in Judge Pritchard, but wouldn't it be a little bit more becoming to modify the effusions that have followed his release of Editor Daniels, since the ex-Senator has been for twenty years the target for bitter attack by political elemies?

— Raleigh Post: And still another good school man quits the educational field. Prof. C. F. Tomlinson declined re-election as superintendent of the Winston graded schools and will engage in the manufacture of furniture. A good man in the person of Prof. W. S. Snipes has been elected to succeed Prof. Tomlinson.

— At Marion, N. C., early Monday morning, Dr. Jones had a colored man cleaning off his back yard, and behind an outhouse he unearthed a mound with a pick and discovered a colored infant which appeared to have been there several months. A woman was arrested, but Dr. Ashworth, acting coroner, could not get evidence to hold her.

— Charlotte Chronicle: That was rather a tame ending to a suit that raged so fiercely in Fayetteville and Lumberton, when the Peebles contempt case went to the Supreme Court on a compromise. The whole thing has ended in a "dog fall," but the people of the State ought to be satisfied. It isn't fair though to assess Sheriff McLeod with the costs. Judge Peebles and his Lumberton friends ought to square the account.

— Charlotte Chronicle: The Wilmington STAR says: "If Judge Purnell keeps Editor Daniels in jail much longer at Raleigh, the newspaper men will make so much glory and get such an increased circulation out of it that it will tempt other editors to get sassy towards judges." No; we don't believe it. In this respect there would be very few to emulate Mr. Daniels' example.

Charlotte Chronicle: Well now, let's get back to the gubernatorial question. Who is ahead? The Greensboro papers say Stedman and give the figures; the Winston papers say all doubt of Glenn's nomination on the first ballot has been removed; the Statesville "Landmark" is standing pat on Turner, while Davidson's friends are giving up nothing. If you will believe the "Chronicle," however, the next Governor will deliver his inaugural address through a very becoming set of gray whiskers.

— Raleigh Times: The time is approaching when we shall be called on to say what we think of the past administration, the one we have witnessed the past four years. We predict the men who take issue with the returns when they are in will be few and far between. In other words, the issues made against the present administration will be ended with the township primary, or at most, at the county conventions. All these gentlemen will be heard praising the "gallant Aycock" on the day of the convention, when his administration will be endorsed, as it surely will be.

— Raleigh News and Observer; A correspondent writes and asks: "What is the situation with reference to the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad since the Chief Justice issued his supersedeas and the Governor got possession of the road only by threatening to call out the armed power of the State?" The order of Chief Justice Fuller leaves the whole matter in statu quo until the hearing by the Circuit Court at the October term. Judge Purnell cannot put the property in the hands of a receiver, the Governor cannot lease it, and the management can do nothing but continue to run the trains and manage the property under the orders of the board of directors. This being the situation, it may be expected that discussion will ease at least in part, and the public await the action of the Circuit Court.

— Raleigh Post, June 8: Many friends throughout the State will learn with deep sorrow that Capt. W. H. Day has suffered a stroke of paralysis and that his attending physicians regard his condition as quite serious. The stroke came on him about 7 o'clock yesterday morning, soon after he got up. He was heard to fall and when members of the family reached him he was found to be speechless and to have lost the use of his right arm and leg. Dr. Henry McKee Tucker and Dr. Fab Haywood were summoned and did everything possible for the sufferer, and it was given out during the afternoon that there was some improvement, that he seemed conscious and tried to talk, though he had lost the power of articulation and that he had some use of his arm and leg. Last night Dr. Tucker and Dr. Fab Haywood made an examination and Dr. Tucker, in response to inquiry, said there was practically no change in his condition since morning. He has not regained the power of speech and the whole right side seems to be affected.

### Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, of Bentonville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had bronchitis for three years, and doctored all the time without being benefitted. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Trial bottles free; regular sizes 50c and $1.00.

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# Don't Be Sick

Sickness is called a living death. It is a disorganization of the system, a weakening of the functions and a decay of the bodily tissue. As a sufferer from female troubles don't you often feel dead to all that makes life a pleasure and a blessing? Wine of Cardui relieves pain and suffering. It is a positive cure for menstrual irregularities. It will stop bearing down pains and ovarian pains and eliminate the weakness which is the cause. By curing leucorrhoea it frees thousands of lives from dragging aches and constant waste. It cures barrenness and its strengthening effect robs motherhood of much of its suffering. With $1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui in every drug store there need be few sick women in this city. If you are sick, begin the treatment promptly—begin it today.



## WINE OF CARDUI

NORTH ALTON, ILL., June 9, 1903.

A few months ago my health seemed to break down altogether. I lost my appetite, could not sleep and was in the very slough of despondency, which was greatly aggravated at the functional period. Our physician was unable to give me anything which was of the least benefit to me and I kept getting worse and was very nervous and hysterical. A friend who had used Wine of Cardui suggested that I try it. So I sent for some and within two days after I started to use it I felt a great deal better. I could sleep at night and gradually the nervousness passed away. I became strong and had no pain at the period. I am now enjoying the best of health due to the merits of Wine of Cardui for which I am deeply grateful.

Catherine E. Milloy

— At High Point on Monday morning Mr. John W. Wilborn's horse ran away and killed itself. In the buggy with Mr. Wilborn was the Rev. Mellichampe, the Episcopal preacher, and Dr. J. R. Reitzel's little son. The horse became frightened near the edge of town and darted across a corn patch and into a ditch. All three occupants were thrown out. Rev. Mellichampe sustained a broken nose, the little boy was struck over the eye and otherwise bruised, and Mr. Wilborn sustained several bruises, none of which are serious.

### Worst of All Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience Mrs. S. H. Newson, of Decatur, Ala. "For three years," she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters, and the result was miraculous. I improved at once, and now I'm completely recovered." For Liver, Kidneys, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

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Sunday, June 5th.

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State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, Carolina Wise et al. vs. Henry McMillan. } In the Superior Court.

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county in the above entitled cause, said action being for the sale of land and premises hereinafter described for division among the plaintiffs and defendants as tenants in common, the undersigned Commissioner will expose for sale at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder at the Court House door of New Hanover county, on Monday, the 27th day of June, 1904, at 12 o'clock M. on said day, the following described lot of land situate, lying and being in the city of Wilmington, North Carolina: Beginning in the southern line of Nixon street at the western intersection of Brooklyn street, runs thence southwardly with the western line of Brooklyn street 120 feet; thence westwardly parallel with Nixon street 75 feet; thence north and parallel with Brooklyn street, 120 feet to the southern line of Nixon street; thence east with the said southern line of Nixon street 75 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1 and 2 in Block 237 according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington, N. C.

CAMERON F. McRAE, Commissioner.

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### YOUR HAT

May Be a Stylish One, But It Makes Trouble.

A man usually buys a hat that's "in style," but the modern hat for men has lots to answer for.

Baldheads are growing more numerous every day. Hats make excellent breeding places for the parasitic germs which sap the life from the roots of the hair.

When your hair begins to fall out and your scalp is full of Dandruff it is a sure sign that these countless germs are busily at work.

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Very respectfully,

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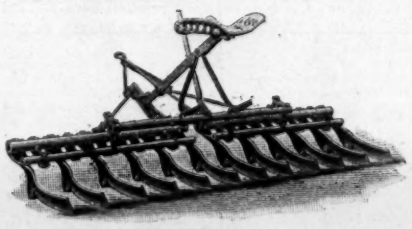
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## TO THE SEASHORE!

### SUBURBAN TROLLEY SCHEDULE.

In Effect June 2nd, 1904.

| Leave Front and Princess Sts. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| *6 00 A. M. | *6 47 A. M. |
| *7 00 A. M. | *7 30 A. M. |
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| 11 00 " | 12 00 M. |

*Daily except Sunday

A. C. L. & S. A. L. CONNECTIONS

TRAINS ARRIVING

| Arrive in Wilmington. | | Arrive at the Beach. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| A. C. L. | 10 10 A. M. | | 11 45 A. M. |
| " | 12 20 P. M. | | 45 P. M. |
| S. A. L. | 12 45 " | | 2 15 " |
| A. C. L. | 1 40 " | | 2 45 " |
| " | 6 00 " | | 7 25 " |

TRAINS LEAVING

| Leave Wilmington. | | Leave the Beach. | |
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| A. C. L. | 8 45 A. M. | | 7 30 A. M. |
| " | 9 00 " | | 7 30 " |
| " | 3 25 P. M. | | 1 00 P. M. |
| S. A. L. | 3 10 " | | 2 00 " |
| A. C. L. | 6 20 " | | 5 30 " |

Through cars for the Beach will connect with all important trains. In other cases conductors will assist passengers with baggage at transfer points and give any information required.

BAGGAGE.

| From | | Delivered at Beach. |
|---|---|---|
| A. C. L. due | 10 10 A. M. | 5 00 P. M. |
| " | 12 20 P. M. | " " |
| S. A. L. | 12 45 " | " " |
| A. C. L. | 1 40 " | " " |
| " | 6 00 " | 9 00 " |
| " | 8 00 " | " " |
| " | 11 45 " | 11 00 A. M. |

| For | | Carried on Freight Leaving Beach. |
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| A. C. L. due to leave at | 8 45 A. M. | 7 30 A. M. |
| " | 9 00 " | " " |
| " | 2 25 P. M. | 11 30 " |
| S. A. L. | 3 10 " | " " |
| A. C. L. | 6 53 " | 5 30 P. M. |
| " | 6 00 A. M. | 5 30 " |

FREIGHT.

| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Beach. |
|---|---|
| 10 00 A. M. | 7 30 A. M. |
| 4 00 P. M. | 11 30 P. M. |
| 6 30 " | 5 30 " |

Warehouse open to receive freight From 7 00 to 9 30 A. M. " 1 00 to 3 30 P. M. " 7 00 to 8 00 P. M.

The Company has a baggage room and ticket office at Wrightsville Beach for handling all express parcels, baggage, validating foreign tickets and the selling of regular round trip tickets. This office will be open daily from 9 A. M. to 7 P. M. ju 2 tf

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Chapel Hill, N. C. Summer School. Tickets on sale June 11th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 18th, 20th, 21st and 27th, final limit July 16th Fare for round trip from Wilmington $6.90

Nashville, Tenn. United Confederate Veterans' Re-union Tickets on sale June 10th to 15th inclusive, final limit to leave Nashville June 18th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington 14.55. By payment of 50 cents and depositing ticket with special agent at Nashville final limit can be extended as late as July 10th.

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## ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect April 17, 1904.

NORTHBOUND.

| | No 48 | No 42 |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilmington | 5 00 a m | 6 50 p m |
| Ar Goldsboro | 10 01 p m | 9 32 p m |
| Ar Wilson | 1 16 p m | 10 35 p m |
| Ar Rocky Mount | 1 55 p m | 11 10 p m |
| Ar Norfolk | 5 55 p m | |
| Ar Weldon | 4 58 p m | 1 47 a m |
| Ar Petersburg | 6 55 p m | 3 23 a m |
| Ar Richmond | 7 45 p m | 4 07 a m |
| Ar Washington | 11 50 p m | 7 54 a m |
| Ar Baltimore | 1 43 a m | 9 09 a m |
| Ar Philadelphia | 4 28 a m | 11 26 a m |
| Ar New York | 7 30 a m | 2 06 p m |

SOUTHBOUND.

| | No 41 | No 49 |
|---|---|---|
| Lv New York | 9 25 a m | 9 25 p m |
| Ar Philadelphia | 11 55 a m | 12 01 a m |
| Ar Baltimore | 2 07 p m | 2 32 a m |
| Ar Washington | 3 21 p m | 3 45 a m |
| Ar Norfolk | | 9 00 a m |
| Ar Richmond | 7 15 p m | 8 38 a m |
| Ar Petersburg | 8 05 p m | 9 45 a m |
| Ar Weldon | 9 51 p m | 11 50 a m |
| Ar Rocky Mount | 10 51 p m | 1 10 p m |
| Ar Wilson | 11 39 p m | 2 00 p m |
| Ar Goldsboro | 6 48 a m | 3 10 p m |
| Ar Wilmington | 10 10 a m | 6 00 p m |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

| | Daily. | Daily. | Daily. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilmington | 5 00 a m | 2 30 p m | 6 50 p m |
| Ar Florence | 9 26 a m | 7 30 p m | 3 05 a m |
| Ar Charleston | 1 10 p m | 11 25 p m | 6 45 a m |
| Ar Savannah | 6 45 p m | 2 50 a m | 9 05 a m |
| Ar Jacksonville | | 8 40 a m | 1 45 p m |
| Ar Tampa | | 7 25 p m | 10 35 p m |

NORTHBOUND.

| | Daily. | Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Tampa | 8 05 p m | 7 10 a m |
| Ar Jacksonville | 6 00 a m | 4 50 p m |
| Ar Savannah | 1 10 p m | 1 15 a m |
| Ar Charleston | 8 14 p m | 8 55 a m |
| Ar Florence | 7 52 p m | 9 25 a m |
| Ar Wilmington | 11 45 p m | 1 40 p m |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

| | West Bound Daily | East Bound Daily |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilmington | 8 45 a m | Ar 8 00 p m |
| Ar Fayetteville | 12 15 p m | Ar 4 55 p m |
| Ar Sanford | 1 55 p m | Lv 3 40 p m |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

| | North Bound Daily ex Sunday | South Bound |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilmington | 2 35 p m | Ar 12 30 p m |
| Ar Newbern | 5 40 p m | Lv 9 00 a m |

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Penna R. R. for all points east

W. J. CRAIG, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.

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## Seaboard

Air Line Railroad.

Schedule in Effect April 17, 1904.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington 3:10 p. m, arrives Lumberton 5:35 p. m., Pembroke 6:00 p m, Maxton 6:45 p m, Hamlet 7:35 p m. Arrive Charlotte 10:45 p m.

TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 2:15 a m, Pembroke 2:55 a m, Maxton 4:08 a m, Hamlet 5:00 a m.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:02 a m, Lumberton 10:37 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:20 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Hamlet | 7 35 a m | 10 40 p m |
| Ar Monroe | 9 10 a m | 12 15 a m |
| Ar Charlotte | 10 35 a m | |
| Ar Chester | 10 50 a m | 1 35 a m |
| Ar Greenwood | 2 30 p m | 6 05 a m |
| Ar Athens | 2 50 p m | 6 13 a m |
| Ar Atlanta | 8 55 p m | 7 30 a m |

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Hamlet | 7 35 a m | 10 40 p m |
| Ar Columbia | 10 55 a m | 1 50 a m |
| Ar Savannah | 3 20 p m | 4 55 a m |
| Ar Jacksonville | 7 00 p m | 9 05 a m |
| Ar Tampa | 7 35 a m | 6 35 p m |

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Hamlet | 10 30 p m | 8 50 a m |
| Ar Raleigh | 2 30 a m | 11 30 a m |
| Ar Norlina | 3 27 a m | 1 15 p m |
| Ar Portsmouth | 8 00 a m | 6 45 p m |
| Ar Norfolk | | 8 30 p m |
| Lv Hamlet | 10 30 p m | 7 30 a m |
| Ar Raleigh | 1 29 a m | 10 55 a m |
| Ar Norlina | 3 47 a m | 1 15 p m |
| Ar Richmond | 6 35 a m | 4 56 p m |
| Ar Washington | 10 10 a m | 8 36 p m |
| Ar Baltimore | 11 50 p m | 11 25 p m |
| Ar New York | 4 15 p m | 6 30 a m |

Through Pullman sleepers from Hamlet to all points North, South and Southwest. For tickets, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to

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## Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16



To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

| GOING EAST. | | | STATIONS. | GOING WEST. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 Passg'r Trains | | | | 4 Passg'r Trains | |
| Arrive | Leave | | | Arrive | Leave |
| P. M. | P. M. | | | A. M. | A. M. |
| | 3 40 | | Goldsboro | 11 05 | |
| | 4 32 | | Kinston | 10 12 | |
| 5 40 | 5 50 | | Newbern | 8 37 | 3 00 |
| 7 05 | 7 07 | | Morehead City | 7 25 | 7 27 |
| P. M. | P. M. | | | A. M. | A. M. |

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 2 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

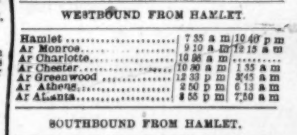
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The Morning Star

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 8.

## THE CONDITION OF COTTON.

**Weather Bureau Reports a Decided Improvement the Past Week—Boll Weevils Increasing in Texas.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The Weather Bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions says:

As a whole there has been quite a decided improvement in the condition of cotton over nearly the whole of the cotton belt. The crop has, however, suffered some damage in Oklahoma and Indian Territory from overflows and from insufficient moisture in scattered localities in Louisiana. Rapid growth and a good state of cultivation are generally indicated.

Boll weevils are increasing, rapidly and doing considerable damage in a number of southwestern and south central counties in Texas.

The week has been exceptionally favorable for transplanting tobacco, and the work has advanced satisfactorily, having been completed in Tennessee and North Carolina and about three-fourths finished in Kentucky and Virginia.

In the extreme Northern States there is an encouraging outlook for apples; but in the central Missouri and Ohio and Middle Atlantic, the prospects appear to be somewhat impaired by extensive dropping.

In the Southern States a good crop of peaches is indicated.

## THE H. B. PLANT ESTATE.

**A Compromise Effected—Estate Now Worth $22,000,000.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., June 7.—Attorneys representing the heirs of the late Henry B. Plant announced to-day that a settlement preparatory to the transferring of the assets of the estate to New York had been reached. The details of the agreement were not made known and Attorney Arthur L. Shipman, of Hartford, of counsel for the heirs, stated that it would be some time before they would be made public. The estate of Mr. Plant when he died was worth over $16,000,000 and there has been a long fight against its being transferred to New York by several of the heirs, principal among whom were Charles E. Hoadley, Horace G. Hoadley and Emma J. Hoadley, of Waterbury, children of a half-brother of the late millionaire. Attorneys for the latter admitted to-night that a compromise had been effected. The estate now is worth $22,000,000.

## ON THE DIAMOND.

**Record of Games Played Yesterday by League Teams.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, 0; Pittsburg, 2.
Brooklyn 1; Chicago, 2.
Boston, 2; Cincinnati, 0.
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 8.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, 4; Little Rock, 0.
Nashville, 3; New Orleans, 1.
Birmingham, 4; Shreveport, 4. (11 innings.
Montgomery, 1; Memphis, 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis, 6; Washington, 3.
Detroit, 3; Boston, 4.
Cleveland-New York game called account of rain.
Chicago, 6; Philadelphia, 1.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Columbia-Charleston, game postponed, rain.
Savannah, 1; Augusta, 2.
Jacksonville, 9; Macon, 10

## WHOLESALE GROSERS.

**Annual Convention of the Southern Association in Session at Atlanta.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., June 7.—One hundred and fifty leading grocers of the South are in Atlanta attending the thirteenth annual convention of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association. The convention was called to order by President Vanhoose, of Birmingham. Rev. Albion Knight opened the convention with prayer. Mayor Evan P. Howell welcomed the grocers to the city. M. Schorabacher, of New Orleans, responded to the address of welcome. The report of President Vanhoose was read and unanimously adopted. Many social events are scheduled for to-morrow.

## ELEVEN-YEAR-OLD BOY

**Arrested for Robbing a Mail Box of Valuable Letters and Papers.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NATCHEZ, MISS, June 7.—A special officer having in charge Willie Metcalf, an eleven-year old boy, left today for Water Valley. The boy was charged with opening a private mail box in the postoffice. A number of letters and bank checks aggregating in value two thousand dollars were found on the boy when he was arrested. The firm to which the checks were payable refused to prosecute and the boy was sent to the Baptist Orphan Asylum at Water Valley. He is the son of a motorman on a local street railway.

**Summer Vacations.**

Commencing June 1st and continuing daily to September 30th, 1904, inclusive, the Atlantic Coast Line will have on sale round trip Summer excursion tickets to all Summer tourist points, such as Washington, D. C., $18, Virginia Beach, Va., $14.10, Blowing, Rock, N. C., $15.80, etc. If parties desiring rates, schedules and other information will kindly write or call on W. J. Craig, General Passenger Agent, same will be furnished with pleasure.

**Driven to Desperation.**

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of an accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. Only 25c, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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## PLANNED ATTACK ON PORT ARTHUR.

**Japanese Said to Have Made Determined Effort to Advance on Stronghold by Land.**

**A NAVAL BATTLE REPORTED.**

**Result Not Known—Heavy Firing Heard. Rumor That a Japanese Battleship Has Been Sunk by a Mine—St Petersburg Without News.**

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CHE FOO, June 7, 4 P. M.—Preceding a sea attack on Port Arthur last night, the Japanese apparently made a determined effort to advance on that stronghold by land.

A Chinese junk, which left a point three miles south of Port Dalny early Monday morning, has arrived here. She reports having heard firing north of Port Arthur from 7 o'clock Monday until 2 o'clock that afternoon, by which time she passed out of hearing distance. It would appear that the Japanese planned a land and a sea attack on Port Arthur yesterday. The Russians on seeing this sent their fleet out to give battle. The result is not known.

**A Naval Battle.**

CHE FOO, June 7, 3 P. M.—An impression prevails here that a naval battle took place last night in the Gulf of Pechili. Passengers on steamers passing the Liao Tienshan promontory at the time did not hear any firing, while reports came from Ten Chow of heavy firing heard from 11 o'clock last night until 2 o'clock this morning.

The fact that the Russians were endeavoring on June 4th to clear the roadstead off Port Arthur of mines indicates an intention on their part to give battle outside the harbor upon the first favorable opportunity.

A Japanese correspondent returning from Tallenwan says there is a persistent rumor there that the Japanese battleship Yashima struck a mine off that port recently and was sunk. Chinese arrivals from Tallenwan are unable to confirm the story.

**Togo Locating Mines.**

TOKIO, June 7, 1 P. M.—Admiral Togo has succeeded in clearing the channel leading into Tallen-Wan. He began locating mines on June 3, and since then he has found and exploded 41. Yesterday a small steamer was able to safely enter the harbor. The work of locating other mines is now continuing, and it is said that the vicinity will speedily be cleared of all such dangerous obstructions to navigation. Admiral Togo reports that a southerly gale and a high sea prevailed during his operations, but the men steadfastly continued at their work.

**Situation at Feng-thang.**

ST. PETERSBURG, June 7.—The general staff to-day received the following from Lieutenat General Sakharoff, chief of staff of General Kuropatkin:

"There is no change in the situation at Fang-Wang-Cheng. A Japanese detachment has evacuated a position which it occupied south of Vafangow, near the village of Chu-Chfa-Tun, and retired southward, pursued by our cavalry.

"During a reconnoissance June 3rd, in the neighborhood of Saimatsza, a detachment of Japanese infantry fired on our rear guard. Their approach was stopped by an advance of our troops. The firing lasted two hours or over. We had two men killed and six wounded."

**Rumors at St. Petersburg.**

ST. PETERSBURG, June 8, 1 A. M.—The government, it was authoritatively said to-night, has no more information than the public of happenings in the neighborhood of Port Arthur. The lack of official news from southern Liao Tung was responsible for the usual number of rumors throughout yesterday, among them the reports from Che Foo and elsewhere that the Russian squadron had made a sortie from Port Arthur and that the Japanese had begun a land attack upon the fortress. The general staff could neither confirm nor deny these stories any more than similar ones during the past forty-eight hours. However, it was found out that while a preliminary shelling of the land defences of Port Arthur was not improbable, it is too early to expect news of a serious assault, which could not be pressed with any prospect of success until siege guns have been landed at Dalny and brought overland twenty miles.

**More Skirmishing.**

LIAO YANG, June 7.—The Japanese have drawn in their advance guards from Vanfango. They blew up part of the railway and the telegraph station on the night of June 3rd, but the damage was soon repaired.

Sampsonsoff's Cossacks are harassing the Japanese towards Port Arthur. Seventeen of them were wounded in to-day's encounter. The Japanese loss, owing to the accuracy of the Russian fire, seemed heavy.

**Correspondents Shot.**

NEW CHANG, June 7.—A private telegram just received from Shan Hai Kwan says that Lewis Eizel, correspondent of the London "Telegraph," and Ernest Brindle, of the London "Daily Mail," were fired upon by Chinese soldiers while in a junk between Schwantaitze Erdiko. Eizel was killed but Brindle is believed to be safe. They left here on June 3rd to investigate the movements of the bandits. United States Consul General Miller has left here by special train for the scene of the killing.

## COTTON MILL SOLD.

**Big Plant of the Barnesville Manufacturing Company in Georgia.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BARNESVILLE, GA., June 7.—The big cotton mill of the Barnesville Manufacturing Company was sold at public sale here to-day by J. W. Cabaniss, trustee for the bondholders, at $50,000. The capital amounts to $150,000. The bondholders get the mill with their first mortgage bonds, aggregating $75,000, while the stockholders and other creditors get nothing.

The mill cost $315,000 but has not been operated since 1901. The bondholders will probably organize a new capital for disposing of the property.

## STRIKE IN ATLANTA.

**Union Journeymen Plumbers Demand an Increase of Wages.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., June 7.—The union journeymen plumbers of Atlanta went on strike to-day. They ask for an increase in pay from $3.50 to $4.00 per day; a decrease of hours from nine to eight. Unless the strike is declared off within a short time it will affect work on the new Union passenger station and other large buildings in course of construction.

## ARKANSAS RIVER FLOOD.

**Reports of Irreparable Damage to Cotton and Corn Crops—Much Live Stock Drowned—Waters at Standstill.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., June 7.—Cessation of rain brought immediate comfort to the flood stricken localities along the Arkansas river to-day. Although the river continues rising, reaching a stage of twenty-feet or three feet above the danger line at Little Rock, the announcement is made that it will come to a standstill to-morrow. Reports of irreparable damage to cotton and corn crops in the lowlands multiply and the result will be disastrous, because it is now too late for replanting. Thousands of acres of rich bottom lands are under water. Much live stock has been drowned. No report of any loss of life has been received.

In the western part of the State washouts have occurred on some of the railroads, but the damage is being repaired promptly and there is but little interruption of traffic.

No application for relief has come thus far from the flood sufferers. Should necessity arise the Little Rock board of trade will send aid.

## FOR THE JAPANESE.

**Submarine Boats Under Construction at Newport News, Va.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., June 7.—The report reached this city this afternoon that the submarine boat Protector had been shipped to Japan from New York and that four boats, modelled after the Protector, are now under construction at the works of the Newport News Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Company. Bridgeport men interested in the construction of these boats decline to give any information as to what has been done with the Protector. Japanese agents have been in this city several times and as a result it is said draughtsmen are working day and night at a local shop on plans and models of submarine boats. Some of these models are known to have been shipped to Newport News.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS.

**Association of Editors and Publishers in Annual Session in Richmond.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., June 7.—The Sunday school editors and publishers met in annual session here this afternoon.

At the opening session the president delivered his annual address.

This evening from six to eight o'clock the Women's Club entertained the visitors at its club rooms, and the board of directors were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Jackson, wife of General "Stonewall" Jackson. At 9 o'clock to-night the association will have it's annual banquet.

To-morrow afternoon the visitors will be taken for a trolley ride over the city and will visit the battleground and cemetery at Seven Pines. Thursday night a public meeting will be held, at which time addresses will be delivered upon popular phases of Sunday school work.

## ANOTHER OUTRAGE.

**Armed Moors Invade the Residence of an Englishman at Tangier.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TANGIER, June 7.—Armed Anjera Moors invaded the residence of an Englishman here to-day and compelled his wife to give up the rifles of her husband, who was absent. The outrage took place in broad daylight. The British consul demands the arrest of the tribesmen, but the Moorish officials hesitate because the perpetrators are influential.

The British battleship Prince of Wales arrived here to-day from Gibraltar and joined the American squadron.

The Sultan has not answered the demands made for the release of the prisoners. The reports concerning the treatment of the prisoners continue to be favorable.

## COLORADO'S CONVENTION.

**Uninstructed Delegation for St. Louis. W. J. Bryan Commended.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PUEBLO, COL., June 7.—The Democrats of Colorado to-day named an uninstructed delegation to the national convention at St. Louis. The adherents of William R. Hearst captured the caucus held by the second district delegates, but when they attempted in the convention to pass a resolution instructing for Hearst it was defeated by a vote of 379 to 108.

The platform endorses the Kansas City platform of 1900; demands swift and sure punishment to the perpetrator of the Cripple Creek outrage. Strong resolutions commending Wm. J. Bryan were adopted.

## RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS.

**Candidates in United States Whose Papers Have Passed Examination.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MONTREAL, June 7.—Dr. Parker has received at McGill University the report of Oxford examiners upon the papers of candidates examined on April 13th and 14th throughout the United States. Altogether 120 candidates have passed from the different States and territories of the Union, and thus become eligible for selection as Rhodes scholars. They include:

North Carolina: William W. Arrowood, Thomas P. Sprunt, Henry Trantham, J. Horner Winston.

South Carolina: Wilson P. Mills, Eugene S. Lowery, W. H. Verner.

## DELAWARE DEMOCRATS.

**Delegates to St. Louis Instructed to Work for Judge Gray's Nomination.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DOVER, DEL., June 7.—Contrary to the expressed wish of Judge George Gray, the Delaware Democratic State Convention by a unanimous vote today instructed its delegates to the St. Louis National Convention to present the name of Judge Gray to the convention as the choice of the Delaware Democracy for President, and to work for his nomination. This action was taken after one of the most stormy conventions ever held in the State.

Dominic I. Murphy, commissioner of pensions under President Cleveland, has been elected by the Panama commissioners as secretary of that body. Mr. Murphy will assume his new duties in a few weeks. Until recently he was editor and proprietor of the "New Century," a Catholic weekly printed in Washington, D. C.

## TROOPS CONTROL AT CRIPPLE CREEK.

**Two More Names Added to List of Killed by the Dynamiting at Independence, Col.**

**SEVERAL OTHERS MISSING.**

**Union Miners Offer $5,000 Reward for Capture of Perpetrators of the Outrage—Crowds at Victor Controlled by Soldiers.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CRIPPLE CREEK, COL., June 7.—Apart from a few small fights in connection with the rounding up and arresting of Union miners, no outbreaks have occurred in this district to-day. Two local militia companies and a small army of armed deputies under Sheriff Bell are in full control of the camp. Though there has been no turbulence to-day, there is in an undercurrent of feeling which bodes ill.

Secretary Clarence Hamlim, of the Mine Owners' Association, declared to-day that 200 prisoners now in the armory in Victor would be taken over the hills and warned never to return. There is a minority element that wants to hang N. W. O'Connell, former marshal of Victor, who is suspended and under arrest, and also Alfred Miller, charged with having started the riot which resulted in the killing of Roxie McGee and several others at the mass meeting in Victor yesterday. No hanging will take place, however, in all proobability unless resistance is offered by prisoners. It would require but little to have a wholesale hanging. Virgil King, a union miner, and fifteen others have been taken to Victor for deportation. A well grounded rumor is to the effect that a large number of union miners working in Portland will be arrested. The building owned and occupied by Miners' Union No. 40 in Cripple Creek, is in charge of the militia. The front windows have been demolished and the big sign of the W. F. O. M. torn down.

City Marshal W. S. Graham was forced to resign by the citizens' committee headed by E. C. Newcomb, cashier of the First National bank, and Charles N. Crowder was appointed as his successor by the city council which convened at once to confirm him. Justice of the Peace C. M. Harrington, said to be a union sympathizer, heard that the committee was to wait on him and tendered his resignation before the committee could ask him.

All office holders whose resignations have been demanded have furnished them, when threatened with hanging.

Photographs of Charles McCormack and Melvin Breck, who were killed by an infernal machine in the Vindicator mine November 21, 1903, and of other Vindicator miners were found in possession of Frank Cochrane, secretary of one of the miners unions of Victor. This discovery greatly agitated officials of the Mine Owners Association, who declared that Cochrane shall be strung up until he discloses all that he knows concerning the outrage. They believe he has information that will lead to the arrest of the perpetrators of that crime.

It was estimated this afternoon that one thousand deputies had been sworn in by Sheriff Bell. The Victor "Record" was censored by a special committee appointed by the sheriff before publication was permitted today.

Boys playing in the neighborhood of the hole made by the explosion at Independence to-day found a portion of a cheaply made British revolver. The weapon contained one shell, and when taken to the office of the Citizens' Alliance it was regarded as conclusive proof that the dynamite was set off in the fashion similar to the explosion of giant powder in the Vindicator mine.

The bloodhounds in charge of Hugo Palmer, of Trinidad, to-day trailed the assassin who killed the Findley miners to a mile beyond Clyde station, a distance of three miles. There the scent was completely lost. It is believed by the detectives working on the case that the assassin took a buggy at the place where the scent was lost and proceeded along the old stage road to Colorado Springs.

COLORADO SPRINGS, June 7.—A special train consisting of an engine and two coaches bearing fifty union miners, deported from Cripple Creek by the Citizens Union, passed through this city to-night. About three hundred people were at the station to see the train pass through, but there was no demonstration.

The coroner's jury visited the scene of the explosion to-day after an adjournment was taken until to-morrow afternoon when the taking of evidence will begin.

**The List of Killed.**

CRIPPLE CREEK, June 7.—Two more names were added to-day to the list of those killed by the Independence dynamiting, making the total fifteen. It is said the bodies of several others were blown to atoms and the remains are in the mass of flesh and bones at the bottom of the hole made by the tremendous explosion.

DENVER, COL., June 7.—A resolution condemning the nefarious dynamiting plot which sent seven miners to their death and seriously injured a number of others at Independence, Colo., was adopted unanimously today by the Western Federation of Miners. A reward of $5,000 is offered by the federation for the capture of the perpetrators of the outrage.

VICTOR, COLO., June 7.—The crowds around the depots continued to increase to-day and the soldiers and deputies experienced some difficulty in keeping the streets free of blockades. By order of Mayor French, the fire department stretched a line of hose along Victor avenue and to the armory in order to disperse the crowds without resorting to arms.

## WARM WIRELETS.

The steamer Concho, 207 tons, from Baltimore via Norfolk for New York, broke down in Delaware bay and was towed to Philadelphia for repairs.

The territorial Democratic convention after a long discussion instructed the Hawaiian delegation to the national convention at St. Louis to vote for Congressman W. R. Hearst for president.

Thibetans recently attacked the British post at Khangma. The British losses were one Ghurka killed and five wounded. The Thibetans left 174 men dead around the post and many others were killed in the pursuit.

Rev. Walter D. Smith, of Fredericksburg, has been chosen to be archdeacon of the Episcopal diocese of Virginia, the office he is to fill having been created at the recent diocesan council.

Detectives last night battered down the heavy front door at the residence in New York city of Hannah Elias, the negro woman who is charged with obtaining nearly $700,000 from aged John R. Platt, by blackmail. They then placed her under arrest on a warrant charging her with extortion.

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## TORPEDO BOAT FULTON.

**Submerged Over Twelve Hours as a Test at Newport, R. I.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 7.—The submarine torpedo boat Fulton, which was sunk to the bottom of the river last night for a test, remained there over twelve hours, coming up at 11:10 A. M. to-day. The men were on watch duty, two hours each, the rest of the time being spent in reading, playing games and sleeping. All the members of the crew are in good condition today and appeared to have rested well.

President Diaz of Mexico has issued a formal decree announcing the end of the Maya war in the Yucatan peninsula, after four years' duration. The war cost many lives, as the climate is unhealthy for troops from the table lands.

Scattering returns from the Florida Democratic primary election make practically certain the re-nomination of Senator Taliferro and the nomination of Frank Clarke for Congress. For governor, Davis is in the lead.

**To The Mountains, via S. A. L. Ry.**

Commencing Friday June 3rd. 1904, the S. A. L. will sell you round trip week end and Sunday excursion tickets at extremely low rates to the following mountain resorts. Lincolnton, N. C., $5.05; Hickory, N. C., $5.95; Cliffs, N. C., $6.10; Lenoir, N. C., $6.65; Blowing Rock, $8.55; Chimney Rock, N. C., $8.55; Granite Falls, N. C., $6.25. Tickets on sale Friday and Saturday, good returning until and including Monday following date of sale except tickets to Blowing Rock and Chimney Rock are good to return until and including Tuesday following date of sale.

## BUSINESS LOCALS.

NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. Terms positively cash in advance

**Headley's** Chocolates at the Dixie Restaurant. 117 Princess street. je 7 tf

**Three** or four young men can obtain board with large rooms at 321 Dock street. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Alderman. je 5 tf

**Shingles**—All sizes and grades of shingles for sale at the Koch Shingle Mill on Point Peter opposite Hilton Ferry. W. W. Koch, 'phone No. 598. my 17 1m

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**Sewing Machines**, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

**For Sale**—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

**Cabbage**, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Winstead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

**Offices** for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 18 tf

**Wrapping Paper**—For sale, several thousand Old Newspapers, all sizes, suitable for wrapping paper, and just the thing to put under carpets and matting. Will be sold at greatly reduced prices. Apply at the STAR office. oct 4 tf

## NOTICE.

Having qualified as administratrix of John Wallace Alderman, deceased, late of New Hanover county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 26th day of April, 1905, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This April 25, 1904.

JULIA W. ALDERMAN, Administratrix.

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New things in our notion department.

Ladies' girdles, in black and white, this week, 10c.

Ladies' white Belts, 10c.

25c fancy lace collars, 10c.

20c chiffon ruffled up collars, special price, 10c.

We have secured 40 dozen more of those $1.25 umbrellas, special price, this week, 98c.

50 dozen children's hats, 50 and 75c quality, this week at the Big Store, special price, 40c.

75 dozen linen towels, size 18 by 36-inches, 25c value, this week 19c.

A Jumbo linen towel, extra size, 20 by 40 inches, 35c quality, this week 25c.

A large fringe towel, all linen, worth 40c, will go this week at the big store at 29c.

69 dozen Turkish towels 12½c value, special price this week 9c.

50 dozen barber cotton towels, this week special price 4c each.

100 dozen huck towels 10c values, while they last special price 8c.



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Cambric skirts, full size, well made, from 50c to $2.50 each. Night robes from 50c, 75c and $1.00 and up to $2.50 each, and every thing else the ladies want in this line.

Wonderful millinery offerings in our grand millinery department. Big sacrifice in prices. We have just received two drummers' line of sample hats. They were bought cheap, and will be sold this week at half the regular price.

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Ladies' Bathing Caps 15 to 75c each.
Ladies' Bathing Shoes 25 to 35c a pair.
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